




City of Loma Linda Official Report

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COUNCIL AGENDA: January 27, 2004
TO: City Council
FROM: Dennis R. Halloway, City Manager 
SUBJECT: Council Bill #R-2004-03 supporting the Healthy Cities Project

RECOMMENDATION

In compliance with the Healthy Cities Grant, it is recommended that the City Council adopt Council Bill R-2004-03.

BACKGROUND

In September of 1999, the City Council approved Resolution number 2099 supporting the Healthy Cities Project and indicated its intent to participate in the project. Since that time the City has received several grant monies to implement a Community Garden/Tool Lending Library project as well as conduct workshops on promoting health, nutrition and physical activity.

ANALYSIS

City staff in collaboration with the Center for Civic Partnerships, Loma Linda University School of Public Health and the North Central Neighborhood Steering Committee continues to develop educational programs. The primary focus is to encourage healthy eating and physical activity by providing training in gardening techniques and cooking demonstrations on the benefits of eating fresh fruits and vegetables.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

The City will receive an increase in revenue to account 37-9378 for the amount of the grant, which is anticipated to be \$20,000.

RESOLUTION NO.

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
LOMA LINDA, CALIFORNIA, SUPPORTING THE HEALTHY
CITIES PROJECT AND INDICATING ITS INTENT TO
PARTICIPATE IN THE PROJECT

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Loma Linda, California, places a high priority on improving the quality of life for all its citizens; and

WHEREAS, such an effort must be broad in scope in order to include all aspects of the environment; and

WHEREAS, coordinated efforts of both the public and private sectors is needed to ensure success of the program; and

WHEREAS, new programs with proven success in other locations should be considered for their applicability to the conditions in the City of Loma Linda;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Loma Linda, supports the California Healthy Cities concept as a means of integrating health concerns into a broad approach to improve the overall environment in the City, and participates in the project as established by the State of California Department of Health Services;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City continues to develop programs to address specific health needs and coordinate the implementation of that program with the Center For Civic Partnership as well as local agencies and community organizations.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 27th day of January 2004 by the following vote:

Ayes:
Noes:
Abstain:
Absent:

Floyd Petersen, Mayor

ATTEST:

Pamela Byrnes-O'Camb, City Clerk